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Guides



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At its eastern end, the trail connects to the [Platte River Trail](#), a 28-mile north-south route along the waterway.

From the trail's western terminus, trail users can easily continue your journey on the [Niver Creek Trail](#). Make the connection on the west side of Grant Street, only a few blocks away. The trail travels 2 miles northwest, connecting two parks and the Niver Creek Open Space.



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**States:** Colorado

**Counties:** Adams

Length: 1.8miles

**Trail end points:** Washington St. to Platte  
River Trail

**Trail surfaces:** Asphalt, Concrete

**Trail category:** Greenway/Non-RT

**Trail activities:** Bike, Walking

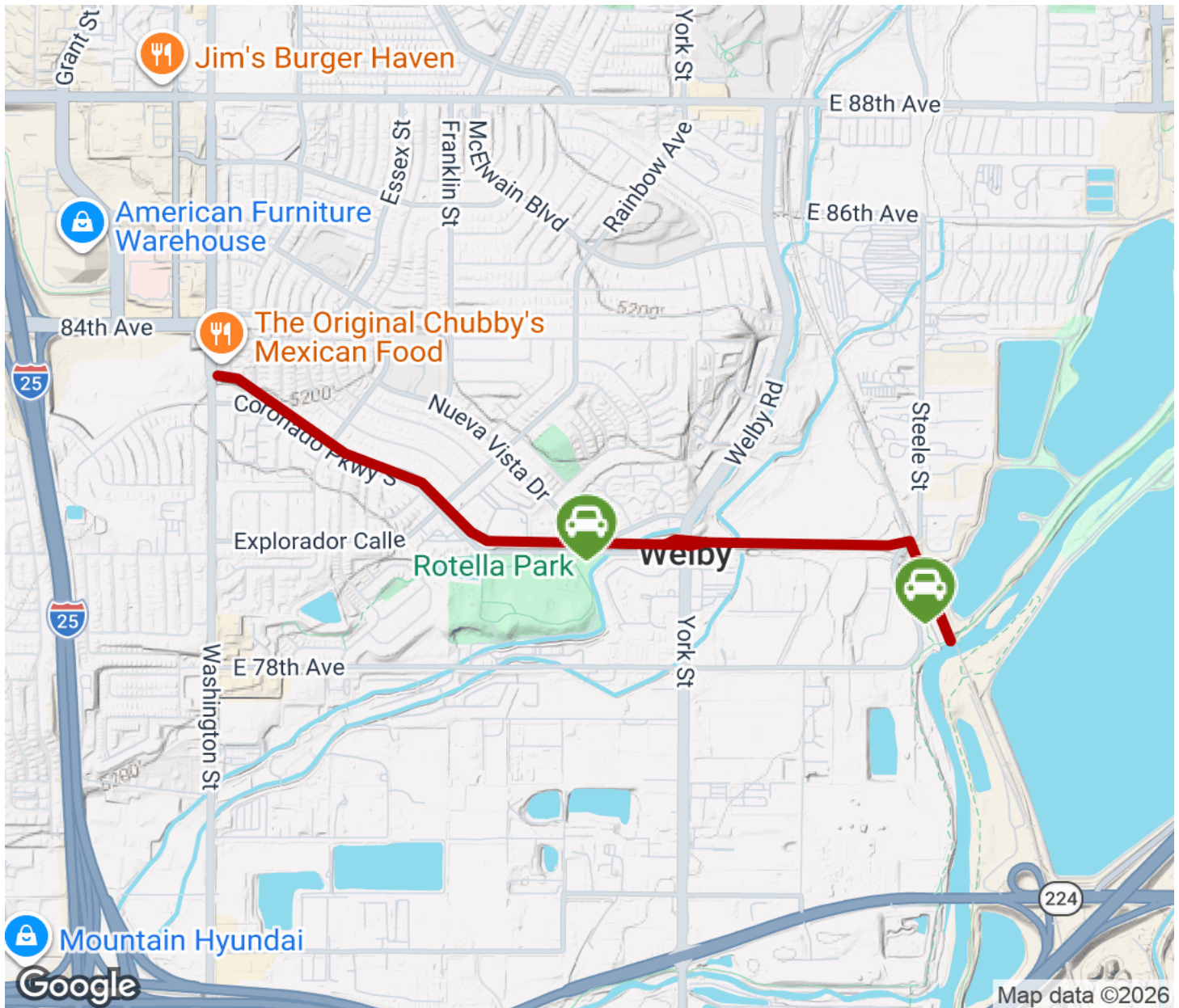
## Parking & Trail Access

Parking for the Niver Canal Trail is available in Rotella Park.



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Trailhead



Restroom



Parking



Water Fountain



Tunnel



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